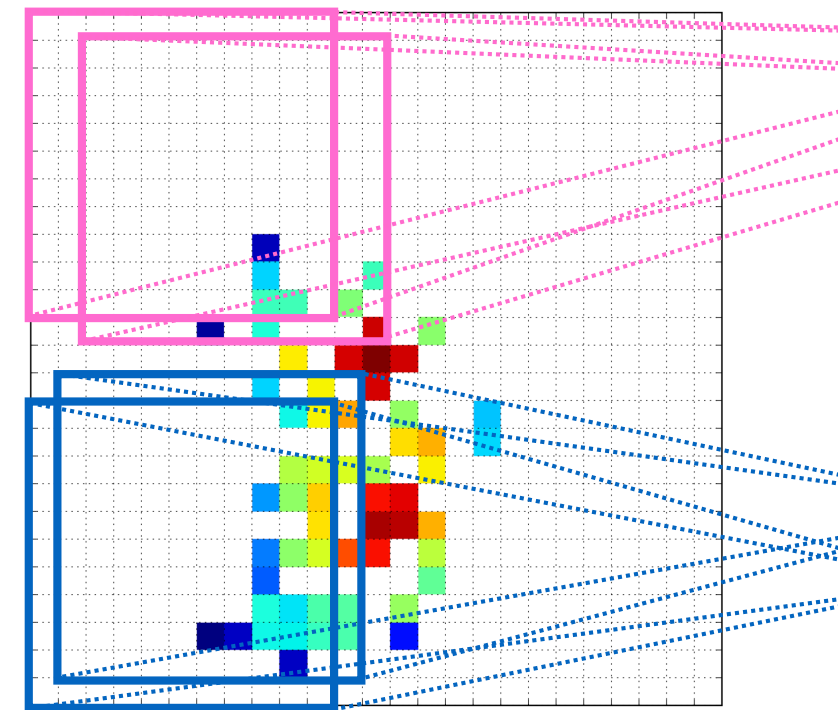


# Deep Learning with the Largest Scientific Dataset

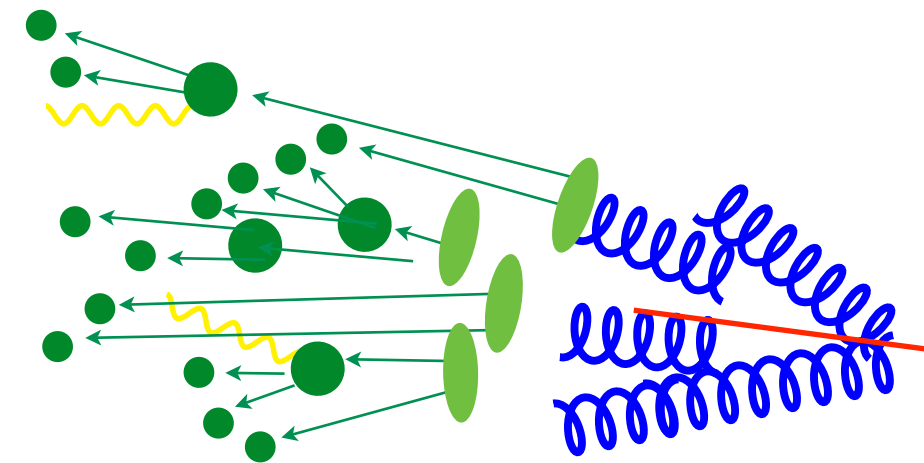
*Modern machine learning for High Energy Physics*

Benjamin Nachman

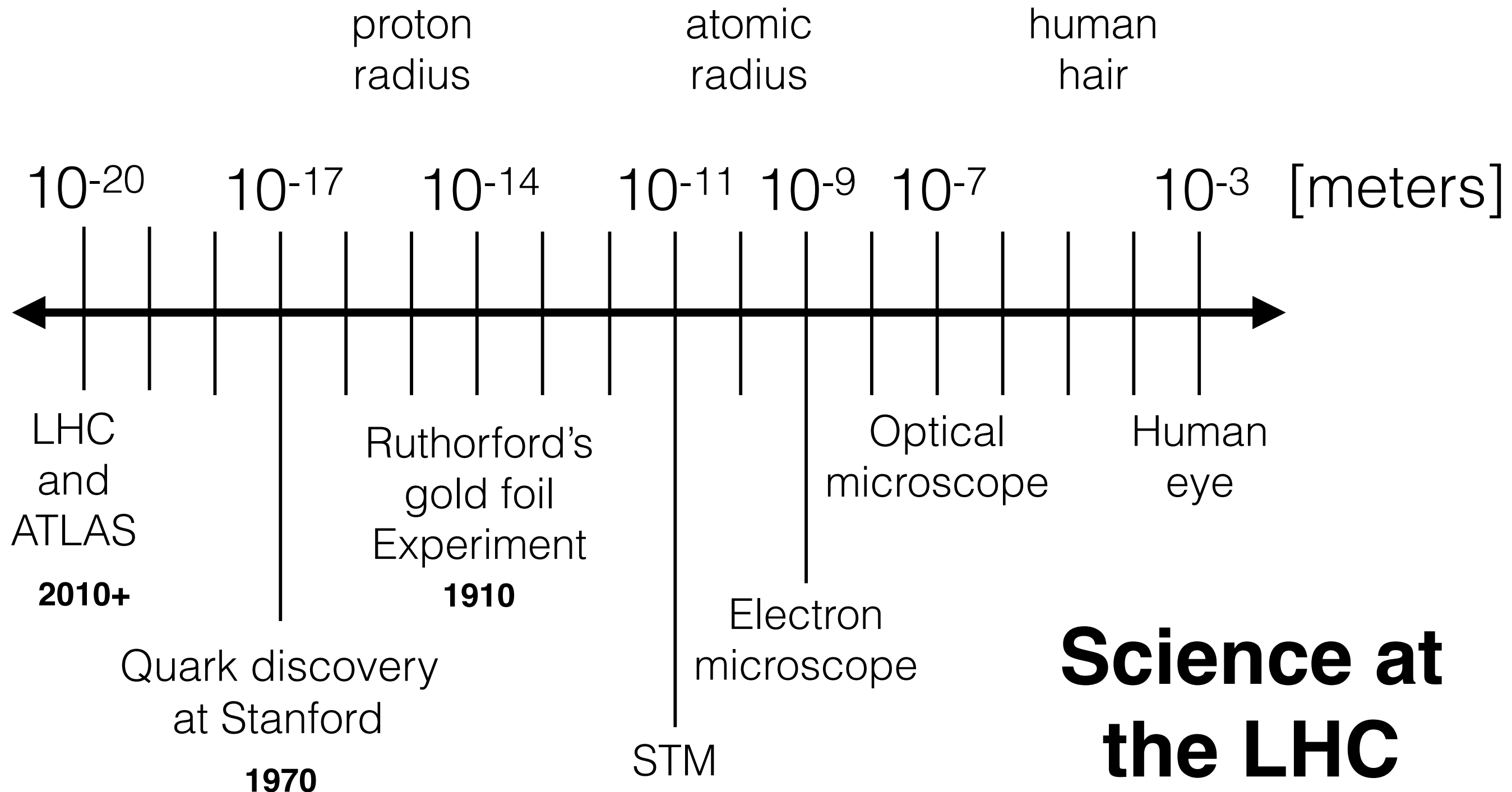
*Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory*



- A little bit of science
- Machine learning and high energy “jets”
- Applications of ML4Jets
  - ◆ CNN’s for “pileup” noise
  - ◆ GANs for simulation
  - ◆ Weak supervision and learning from data



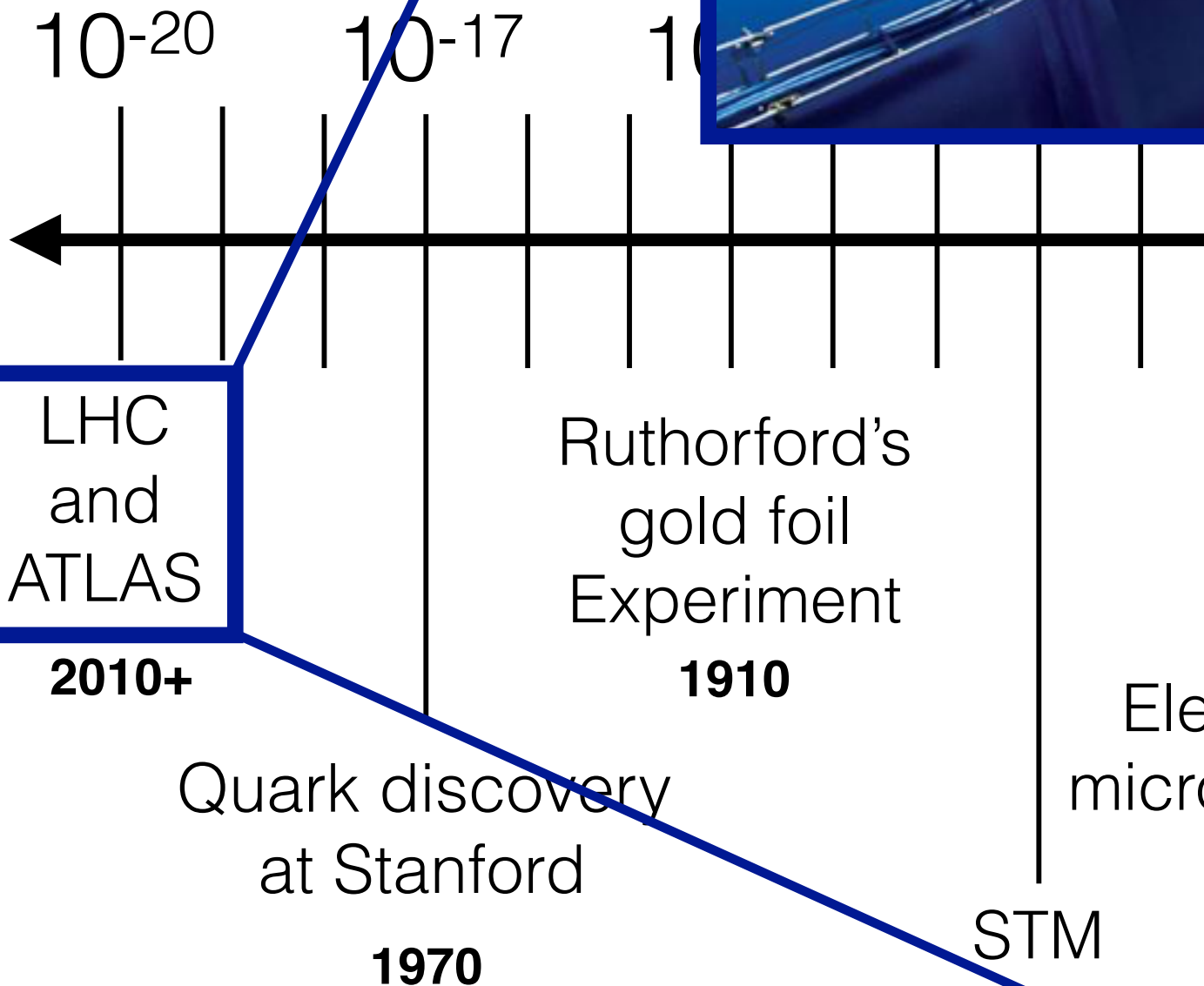
Goal: **We want to study the structure of the smallest building blocks of matter.** For this, we need the most powerful microscope ever built!





**20 mile beam  
line and a 5  
story detector**  
**access to a  
new frontier!**

## ***Large Hadron Collider***



LHC  
and  
ATLAS

2010+

Quark discovery  
at Stanford

1970

Ruthorford's  
gold foil  
Experiment

1910

Ele  
micro

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***ATLAS Detector***



# High Energy Physics at the LHC

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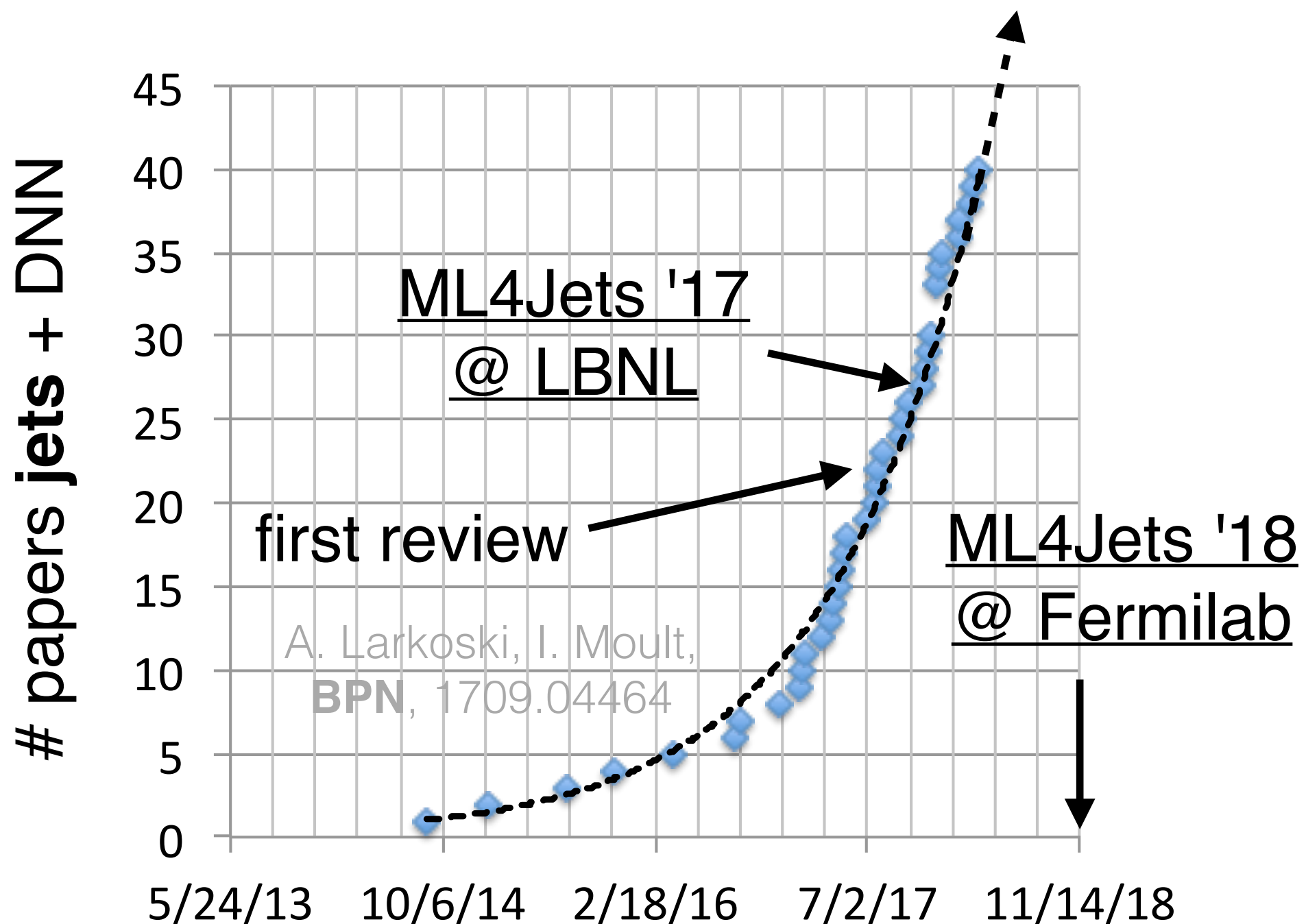
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# Jets with Machine Learning



classification, regression, generation, ...

...this is a very active field of research!





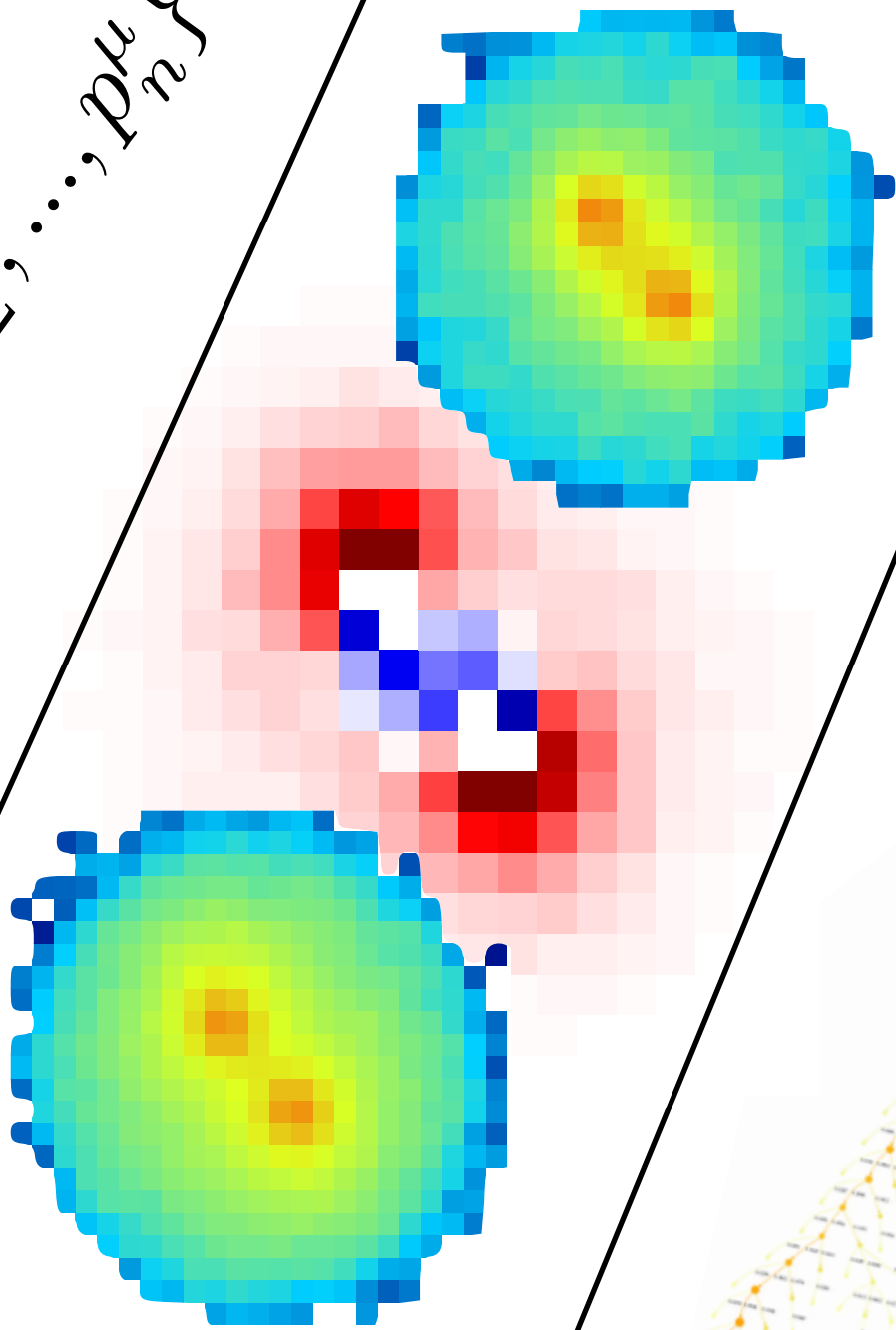
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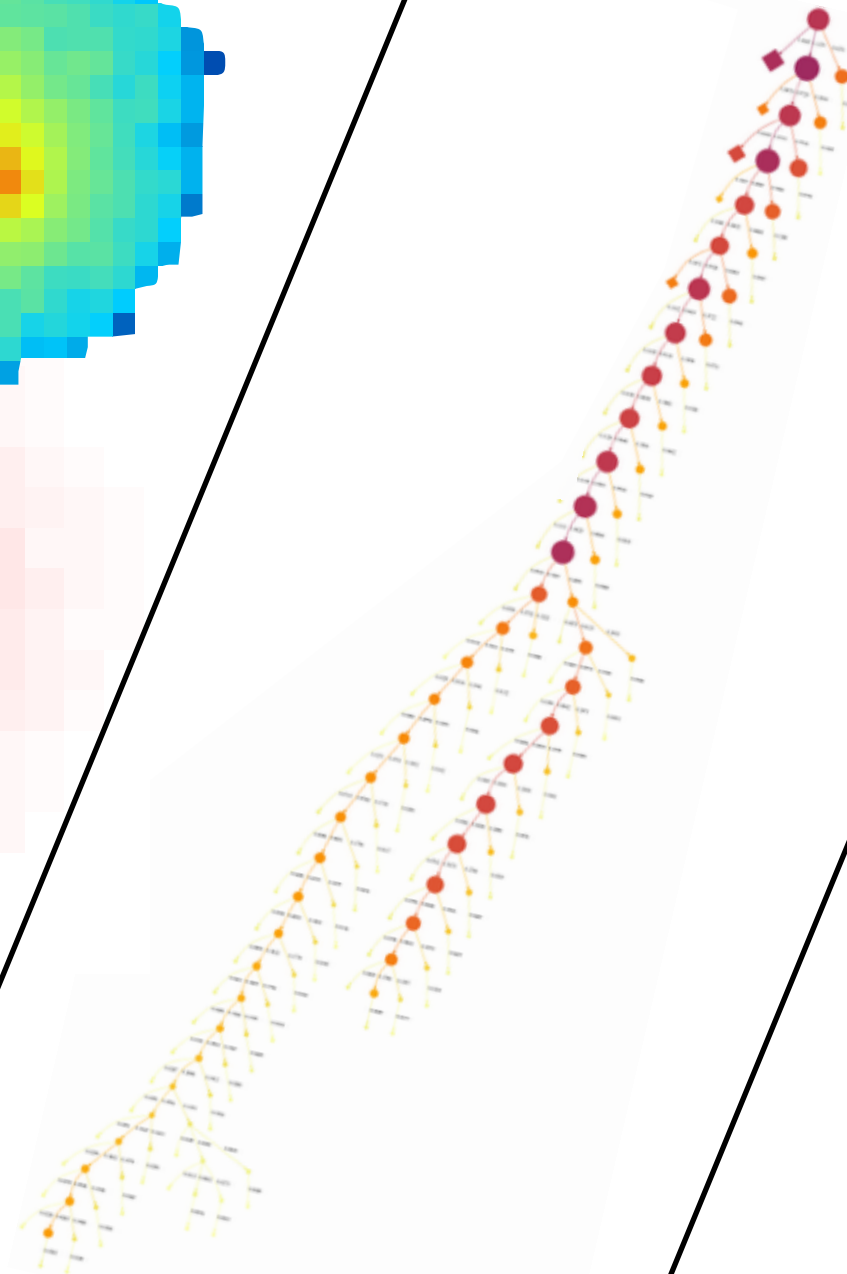
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**Images**



Jet Images:  
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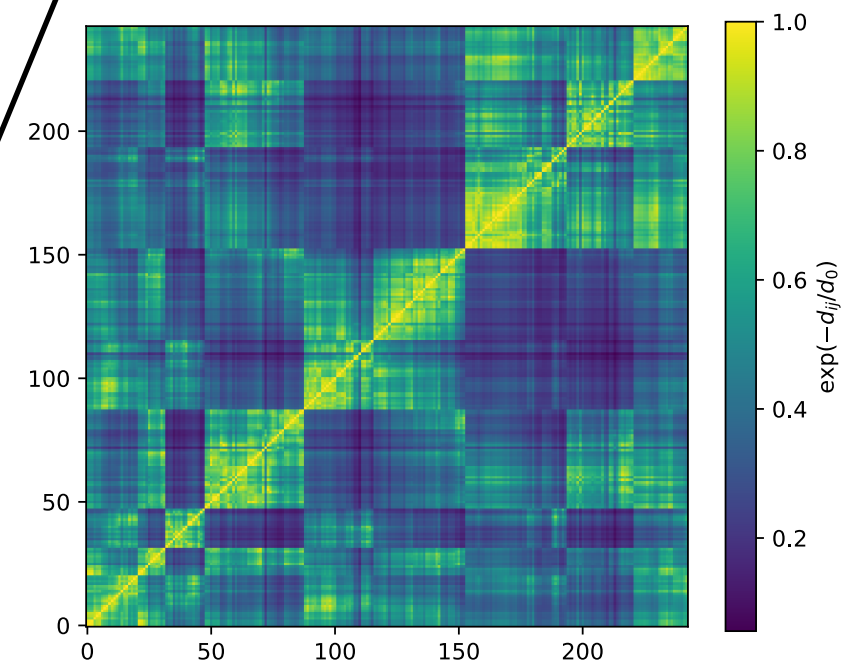
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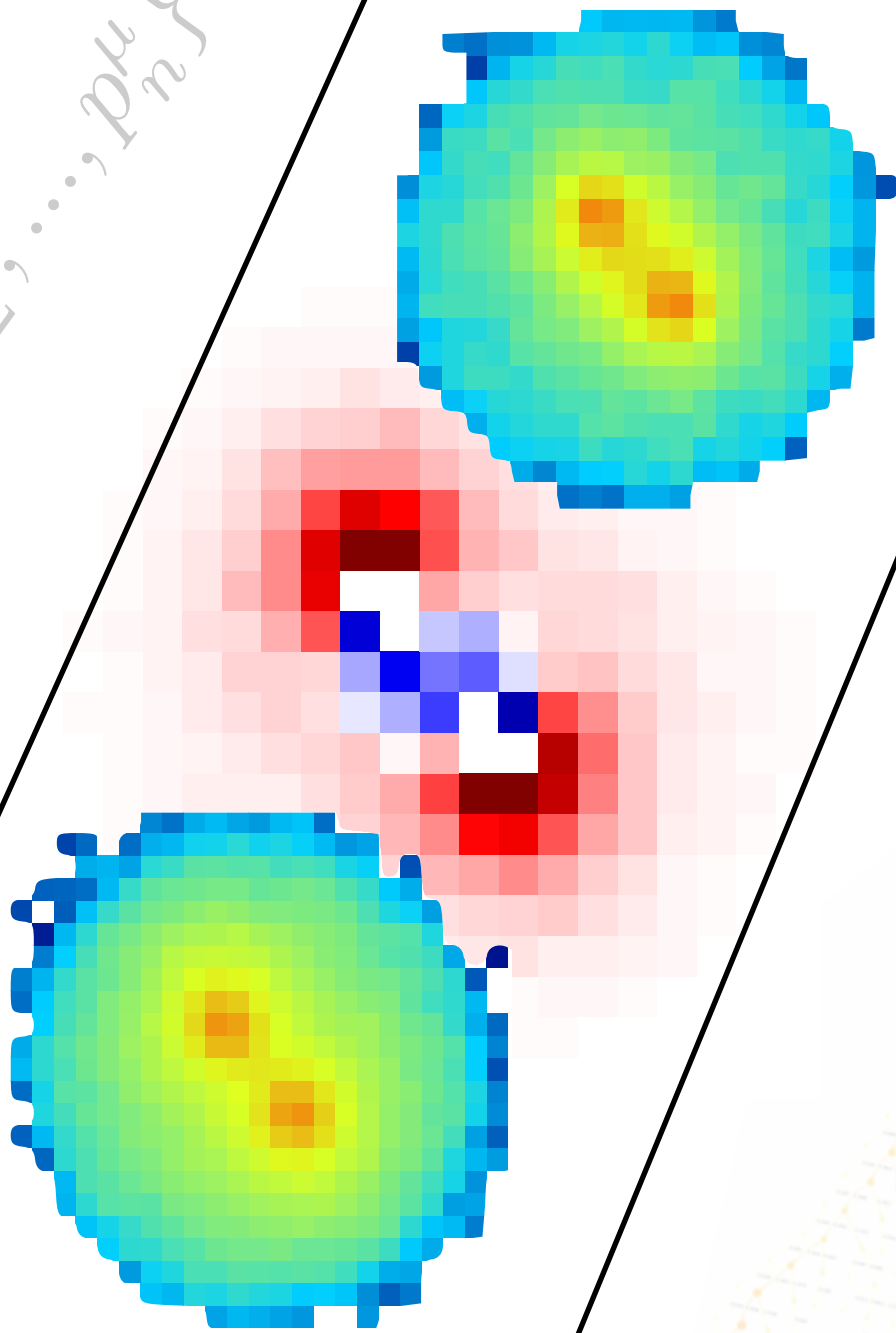
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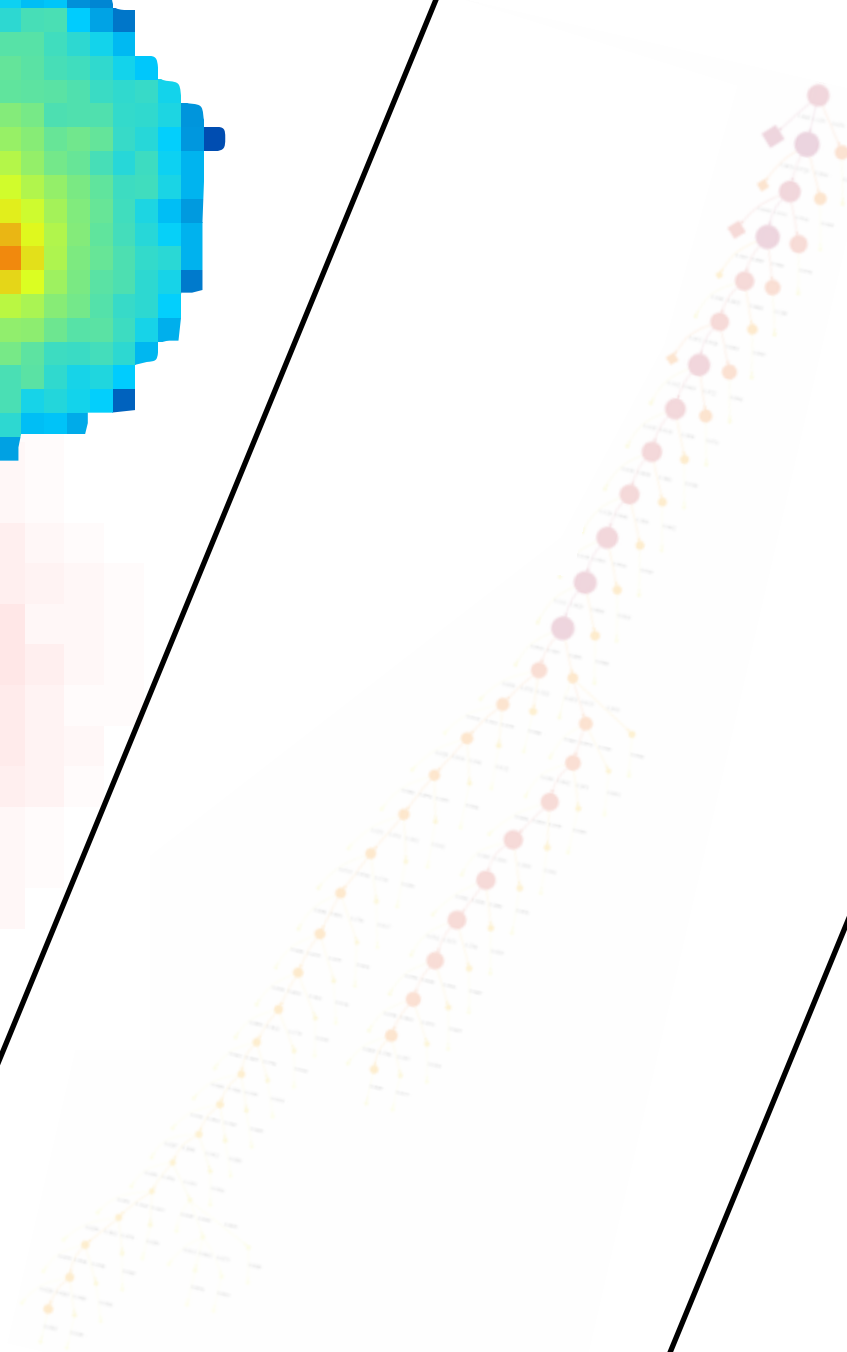
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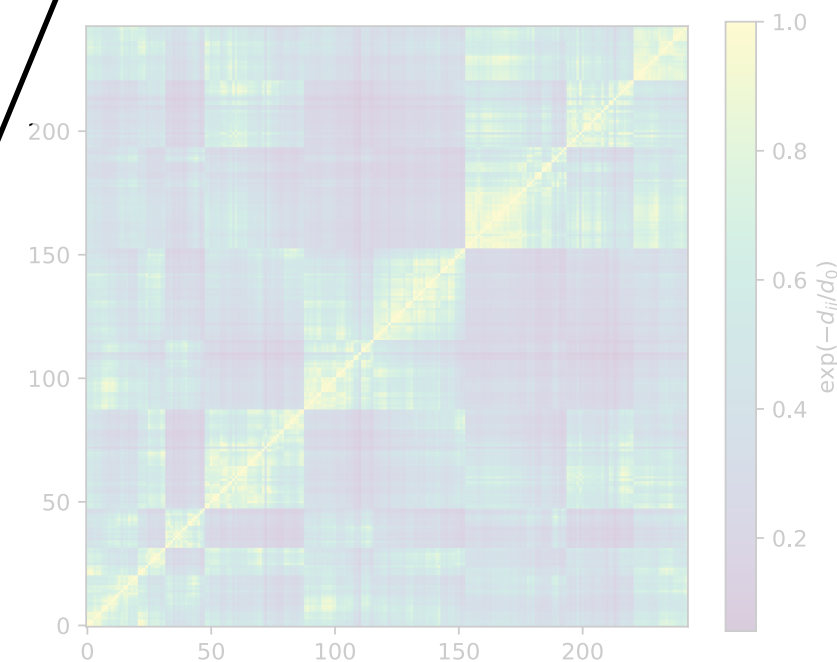
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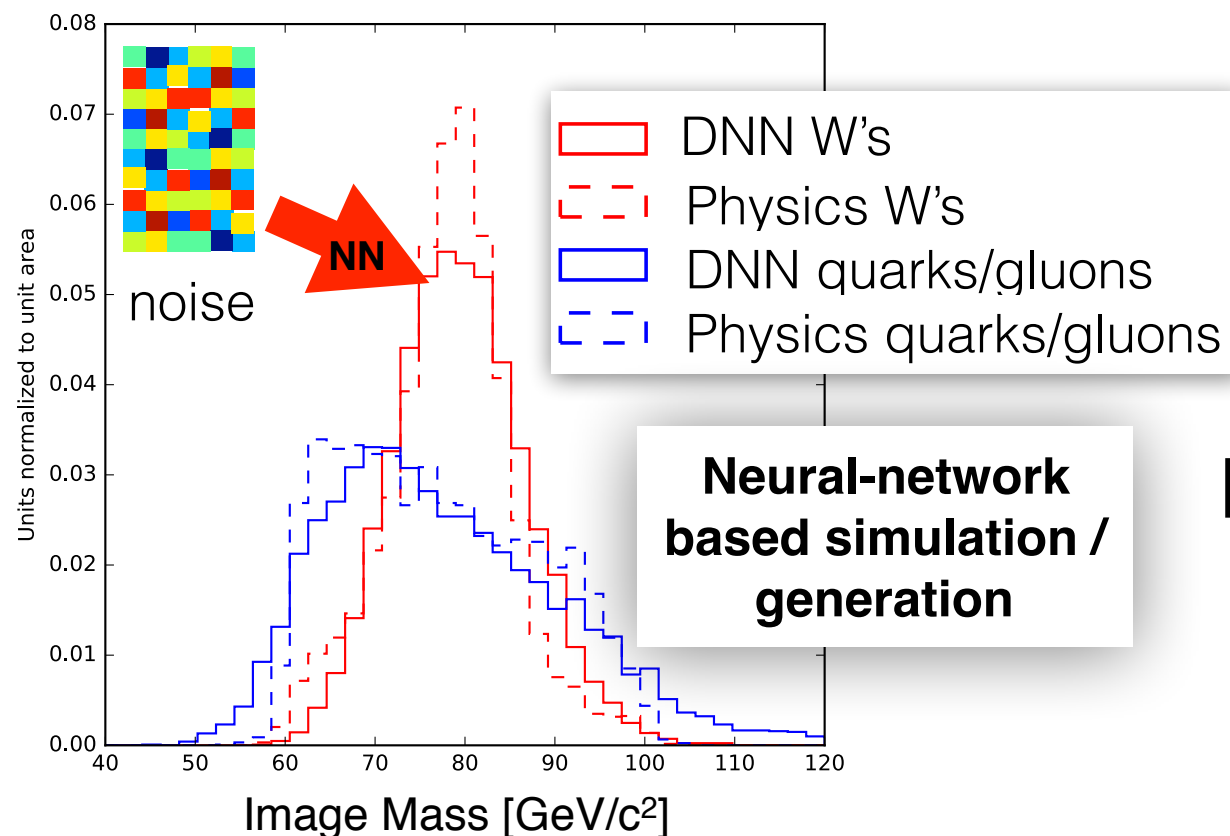
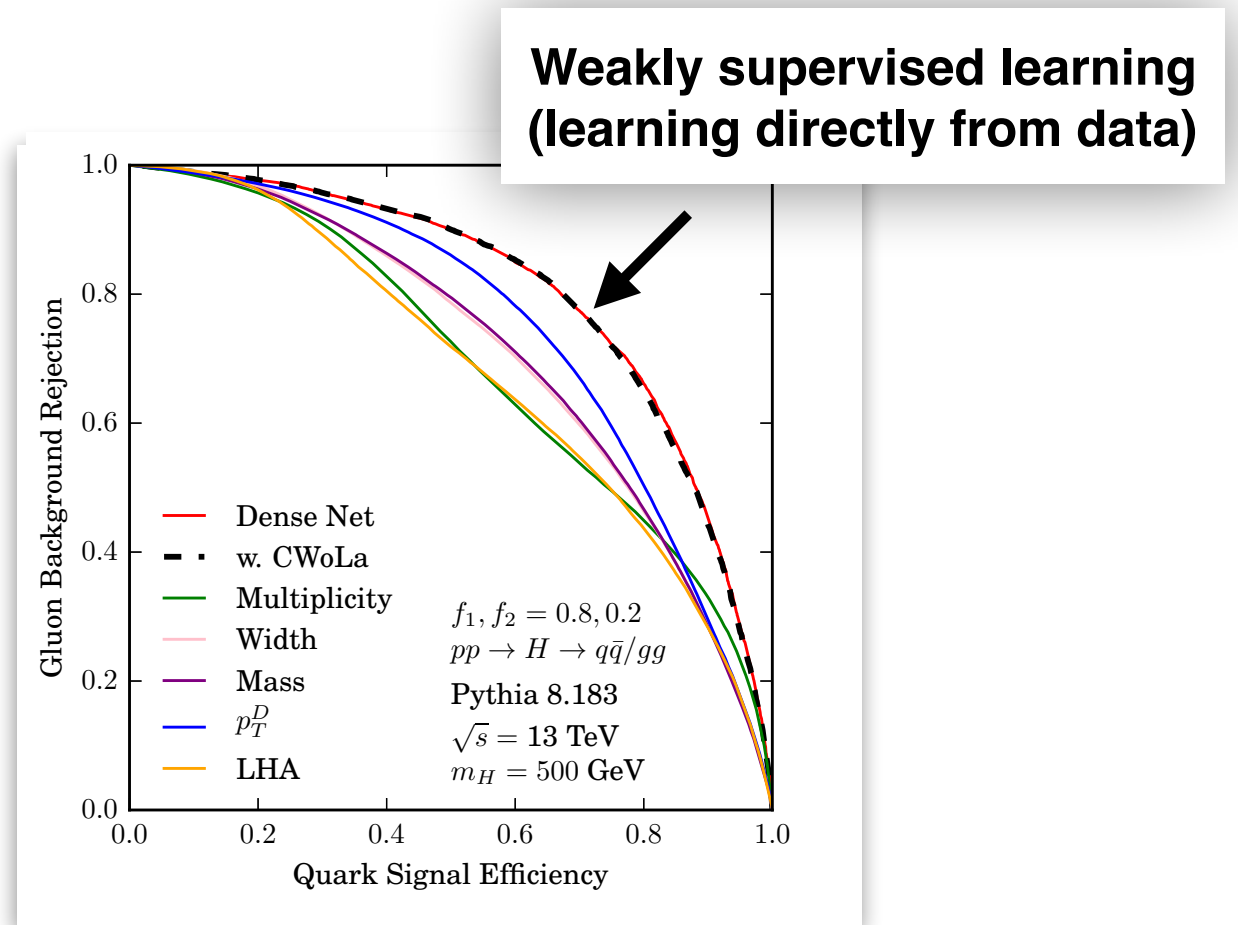
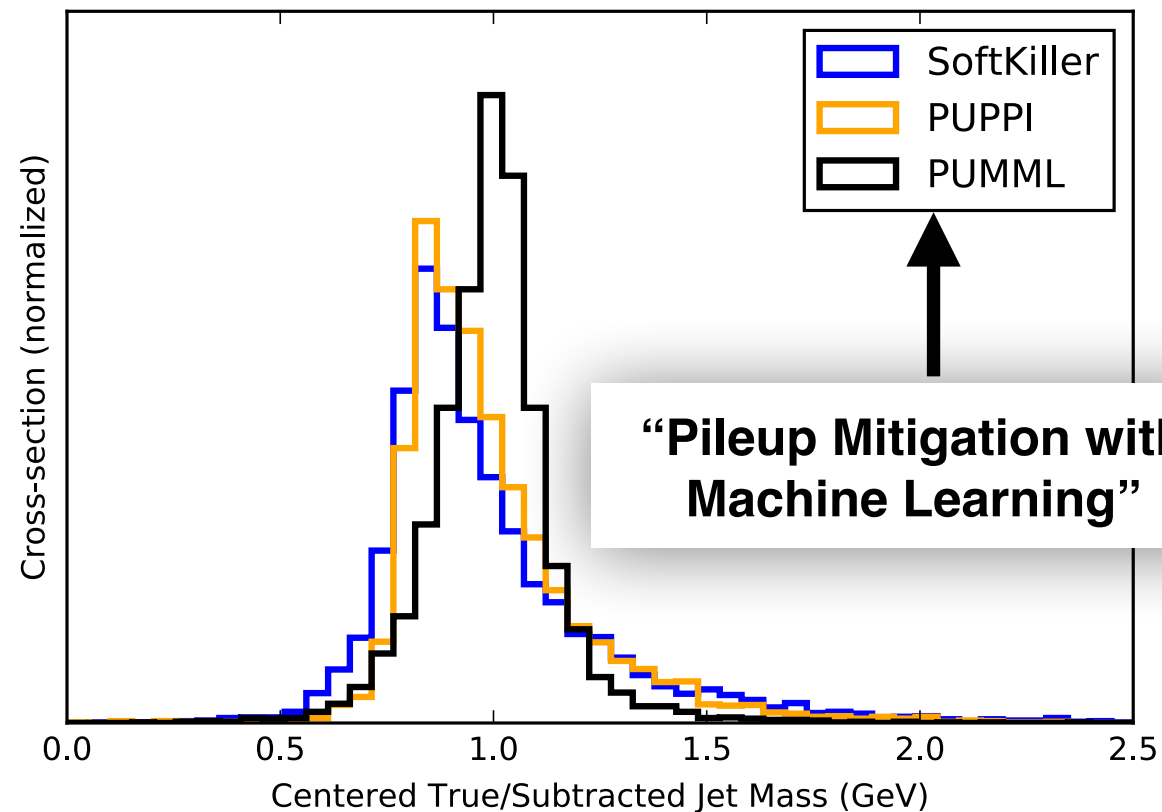
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# Solving challenges for jets with ML

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Machine learning may help us achieve **greater precision**, become more **model independent**, & **learn** about emergent features of the strong force!

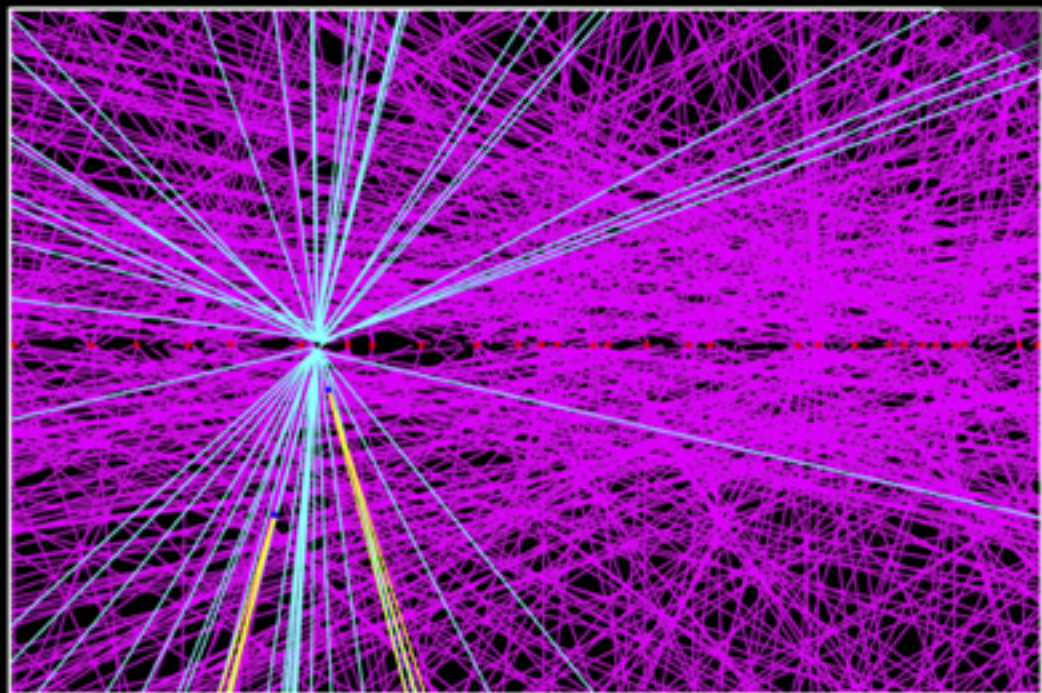


# Solution 1: Noise (“pileup”)

$pp$  collisions at the LHC  
don't happen one at a time!



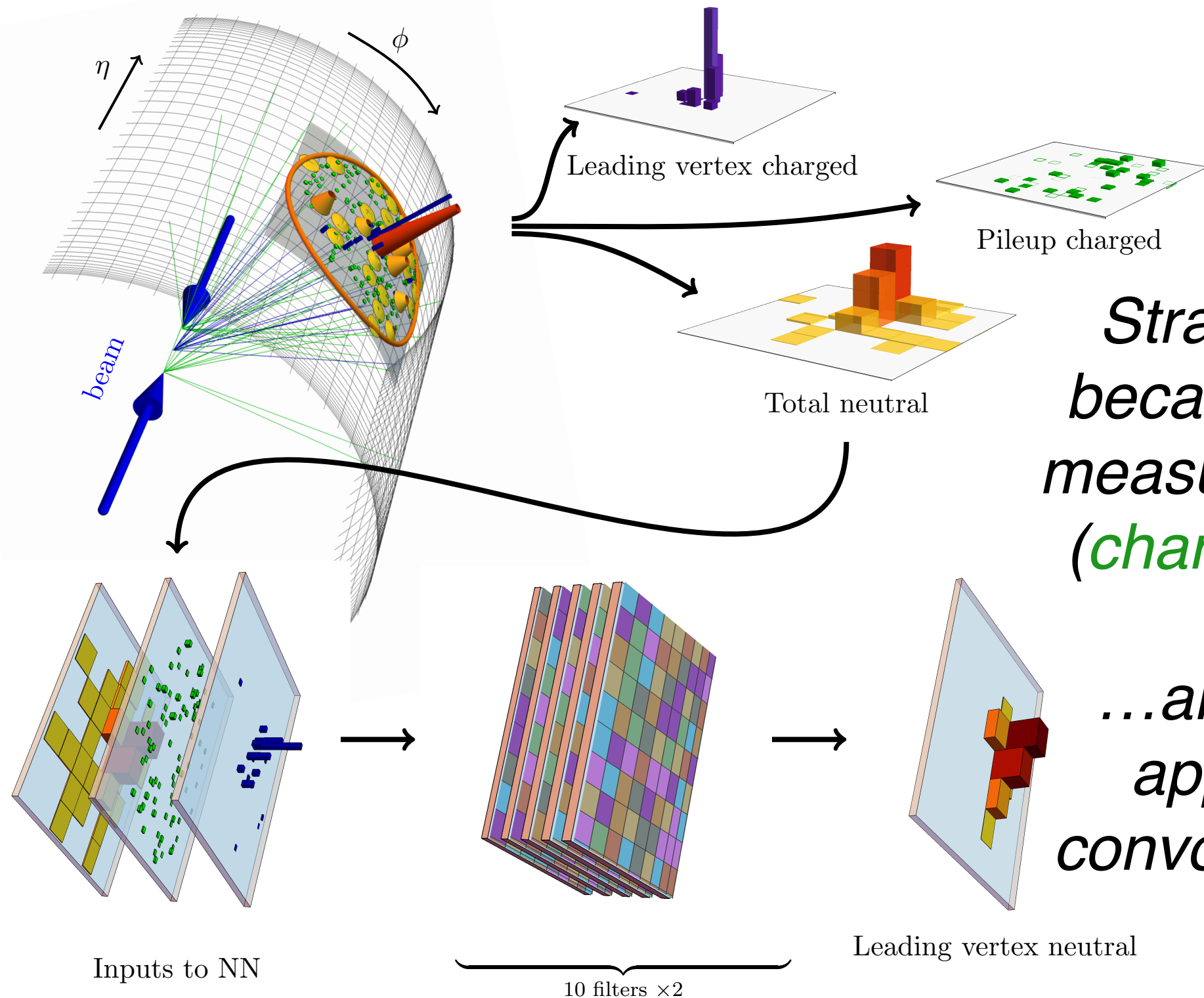
the extra collisions are called **pileup**  
and add soft radiation on top of our jets



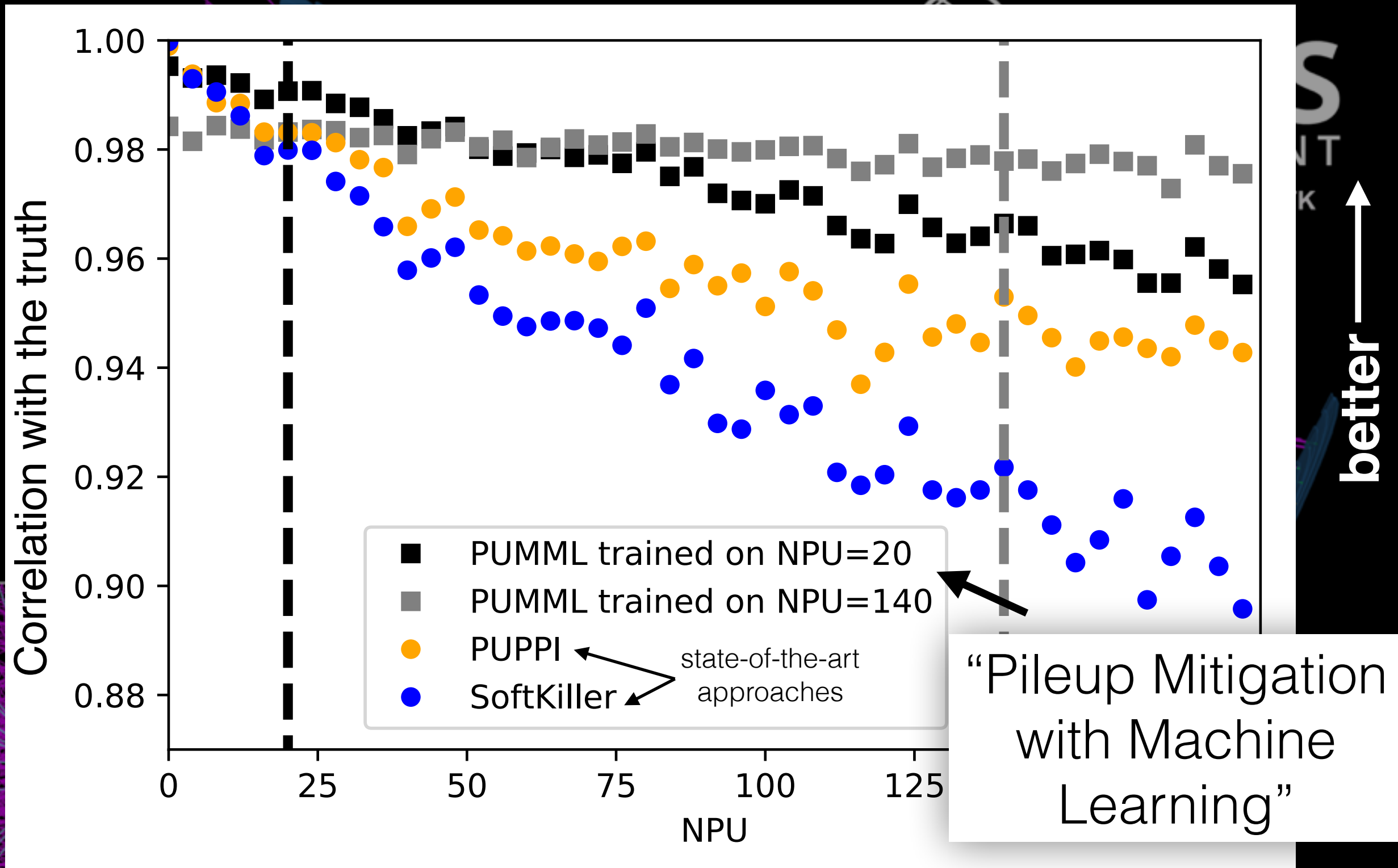
this is akin to image  
de-noising - we can  
use ML for that!



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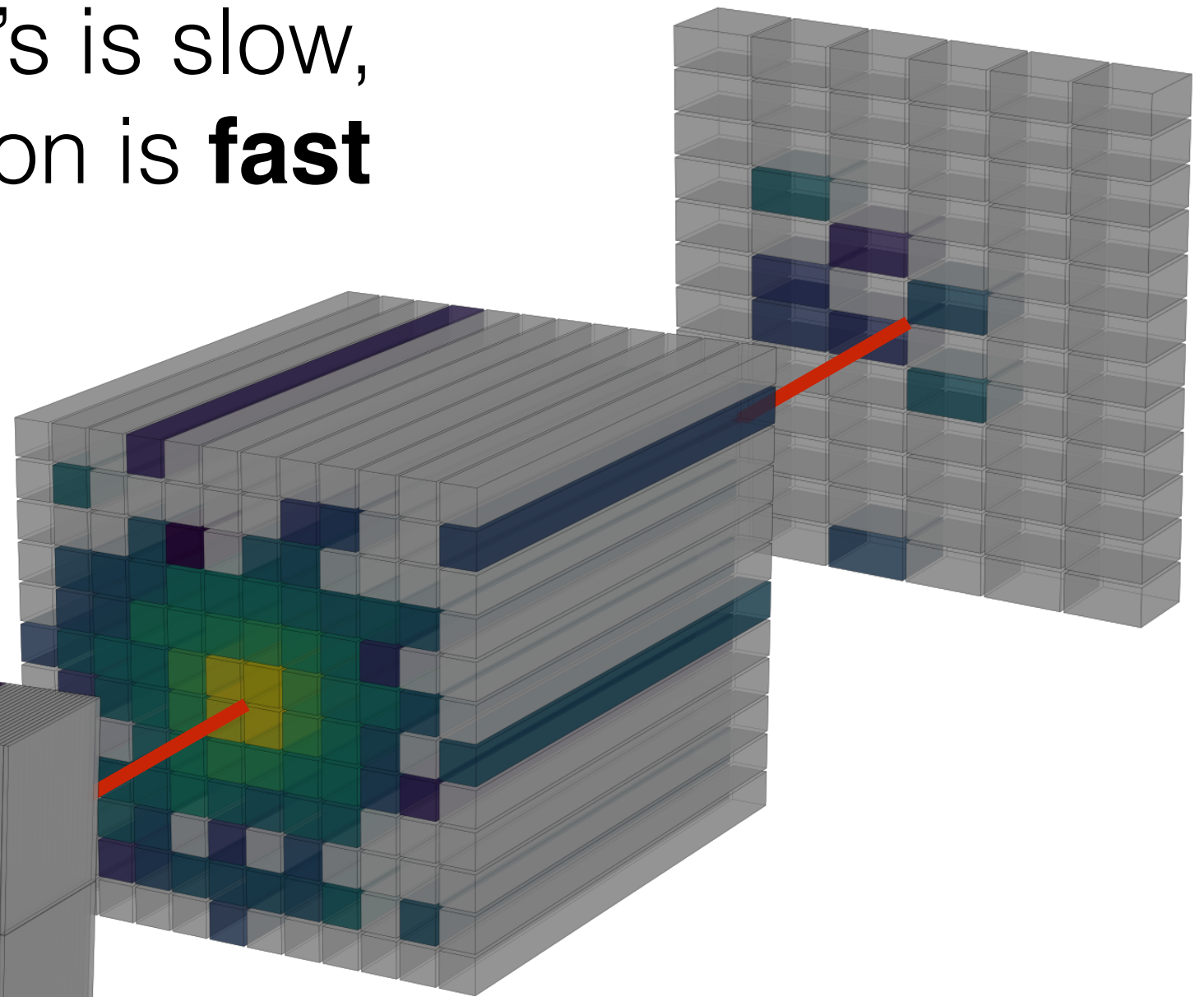
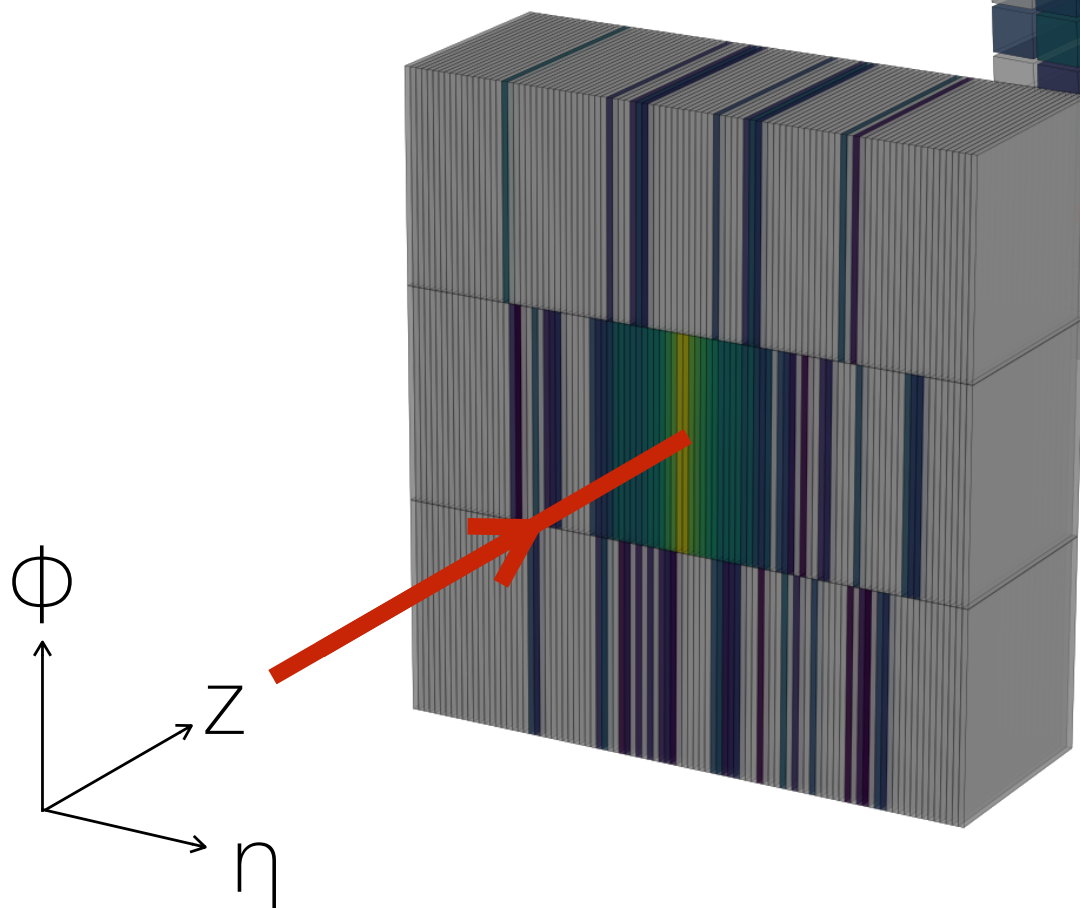


# Solution 2: Accelerating simulation

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Training NN's is slow,  
but evaluation is **fast**

Physics-based  
simulations of  
jets are **slow**

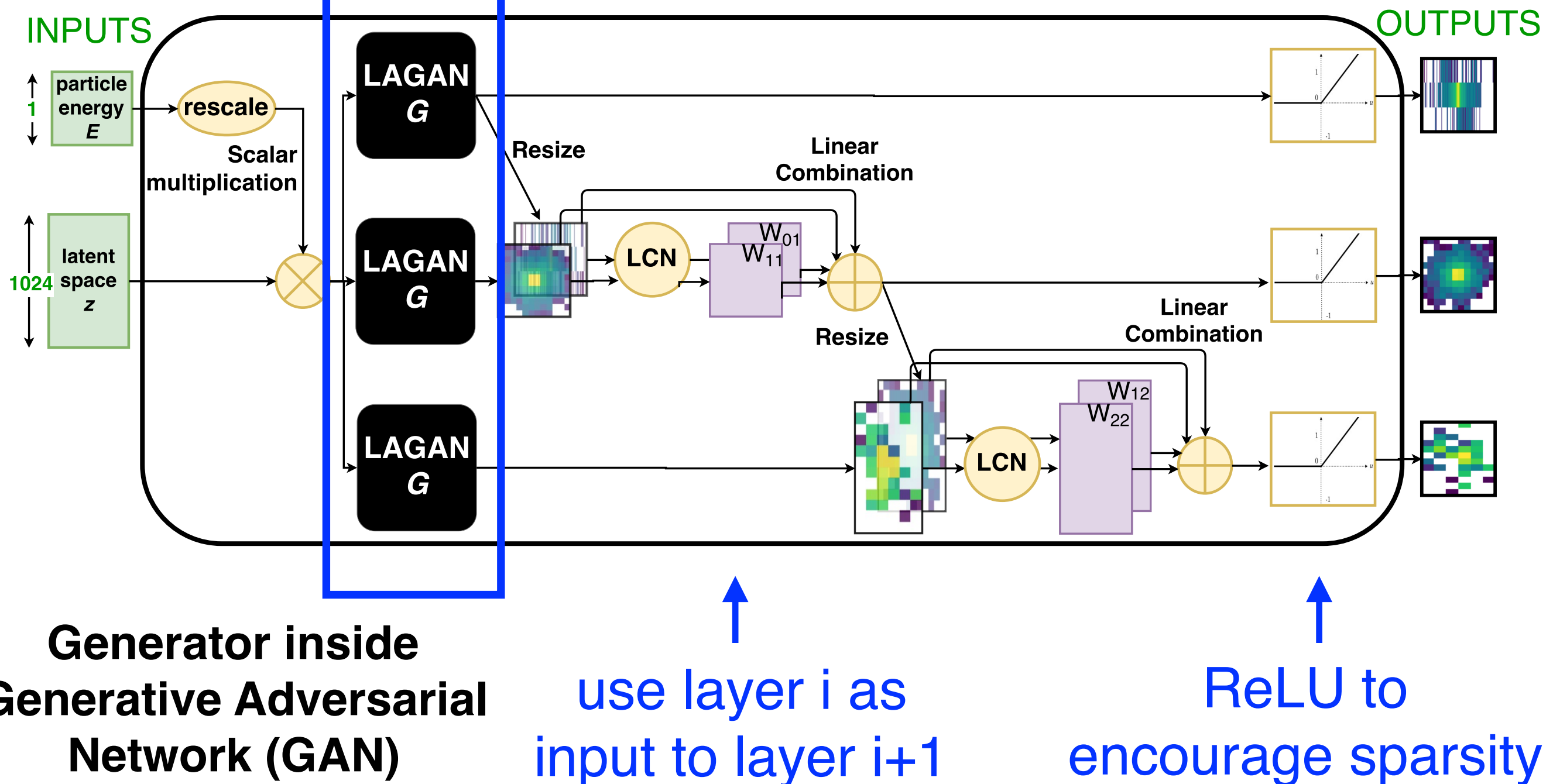


What if we can learn to  
simulate jets with a NN?

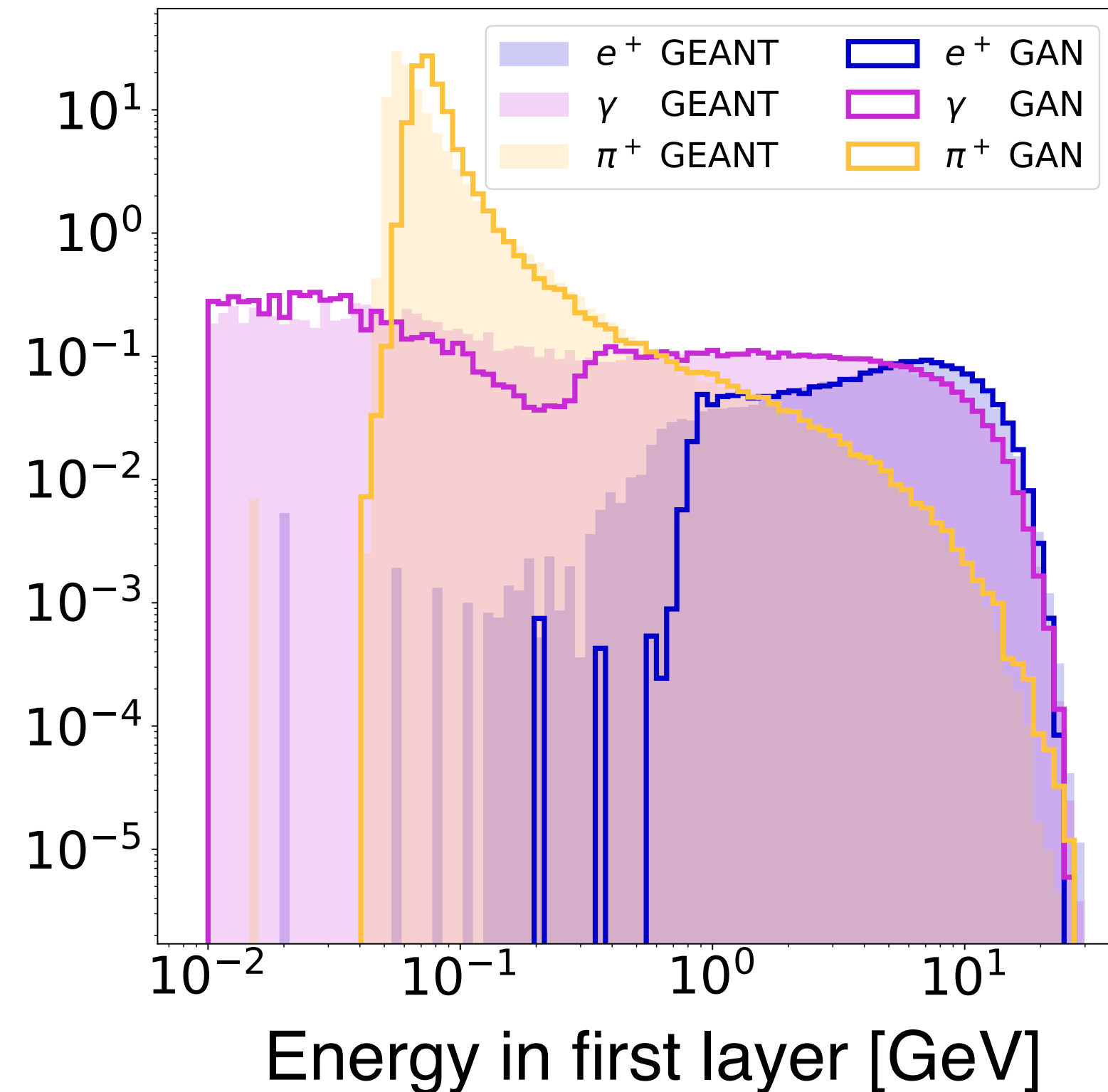
# Solution 2: Accelerating simulation

One image  
per calo layer

One network per particle type;  
input particle energy



# Solution 2: Accelerating simulation



Qualitative agreement;  
clearly also room for  
improvement.

Active development  
at LHC to implement  
GAN-like approaches  
(see e.g. [this](#))

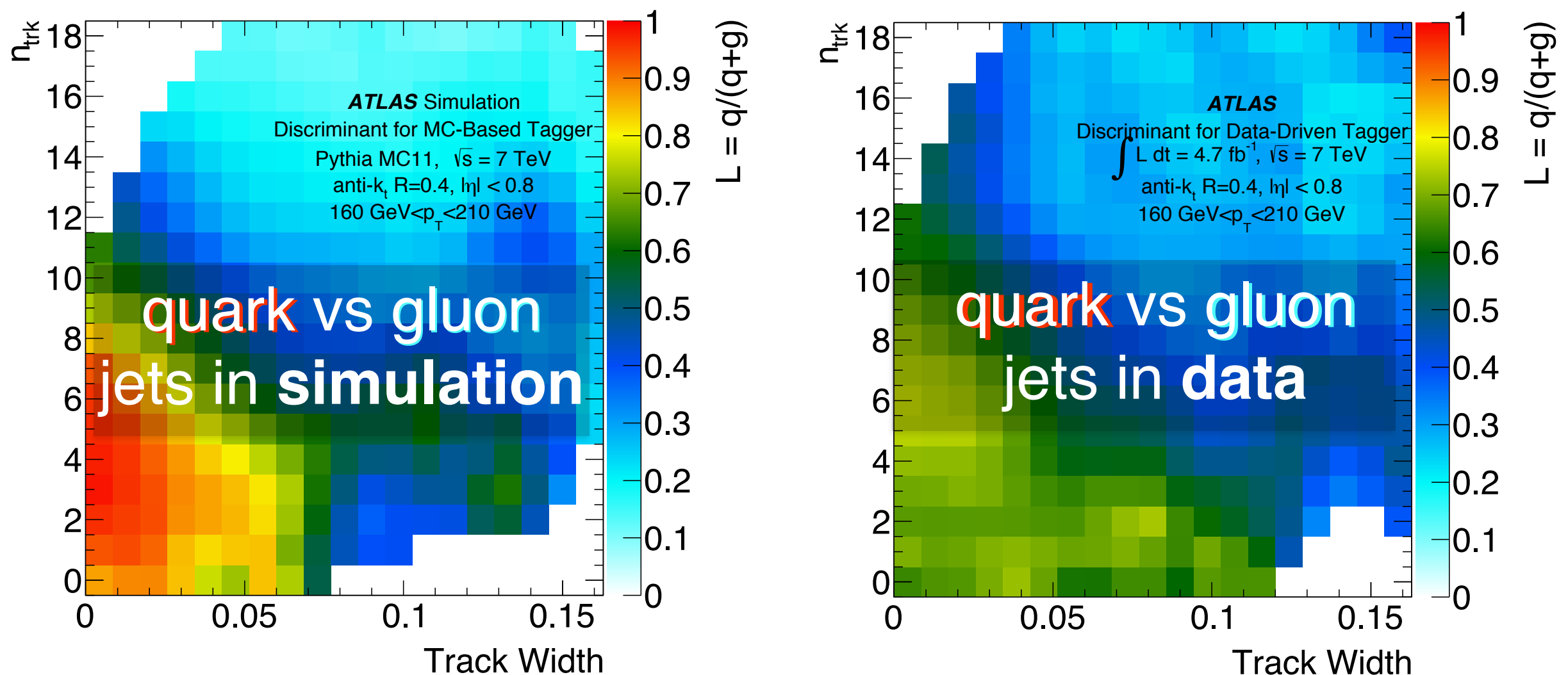
up to  $\times 10^5$  faster!



# Solution 3: Learning directly from data

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For supervised learning, we depend on labels  
labels usually come from simulation



What if data and simulation are very different?  
...your classifier will be sub-optimal

# Solution 3: Learning directly from data

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## Boosted Higgs boson jets

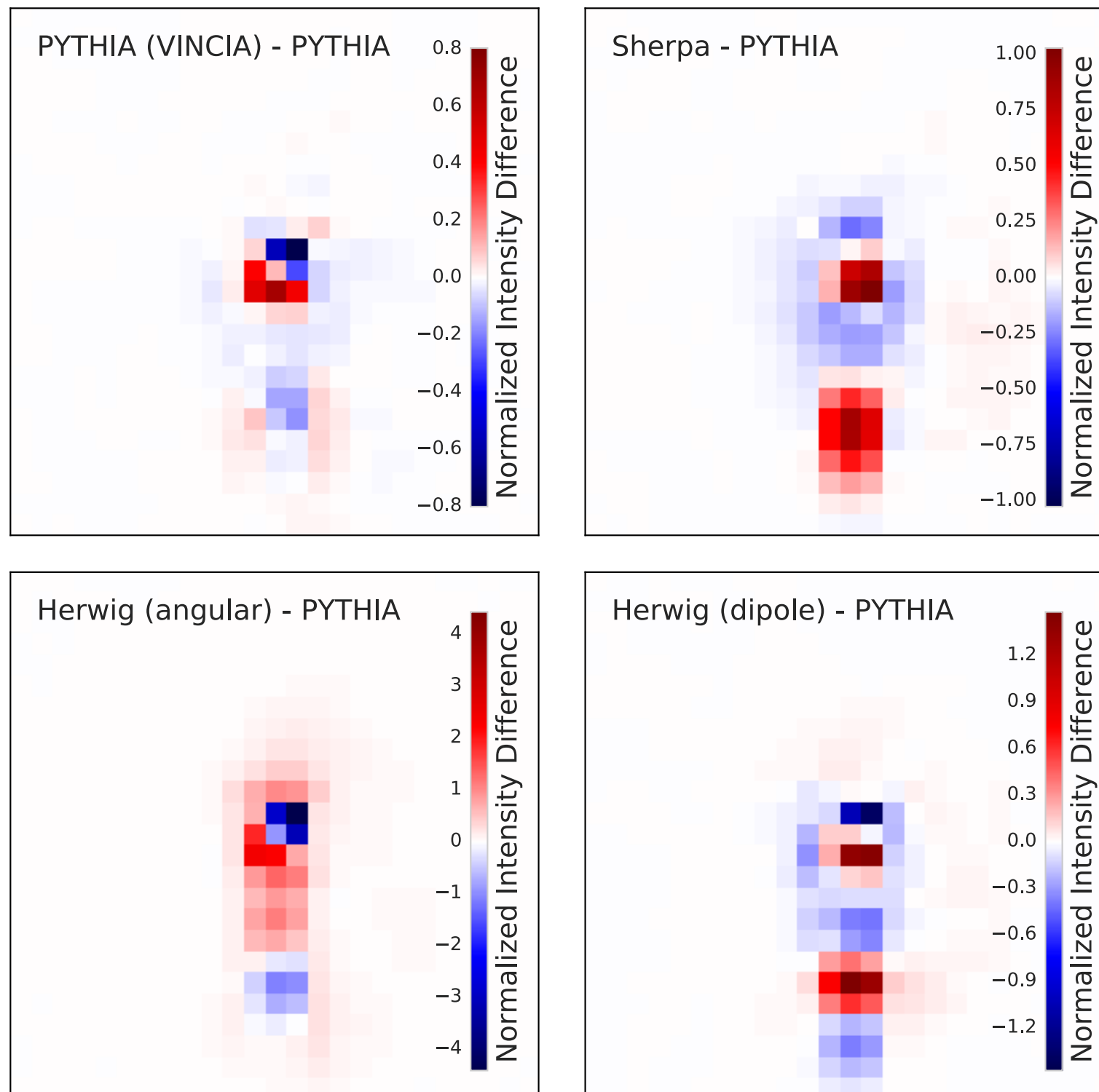
*J. Barnard et al.*  
Phys. Rev. D 95, 014018 (2017)

DNN classifiers  
can **exploit**  
subtle features

subtle features are  
**hard to model !**



we need to be  
careful about which  
models we use -  
**only data is correct**

*For a mixed approach, see  
G. Louppe et al.*



# Two methods

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Property	 LLP	 CWoLa
Compatible with any trainable model	✓	✓
No training modifications needed	✗	✓
Training does not need fractions	✗	✓
Smooth limit to full supervision	✗	✓
Works for $> 2$ mixed samples	✓	?

Learning  
from **L**abel  
**P**roportions

**C**lassification  
**w**ithout  
**L**abels

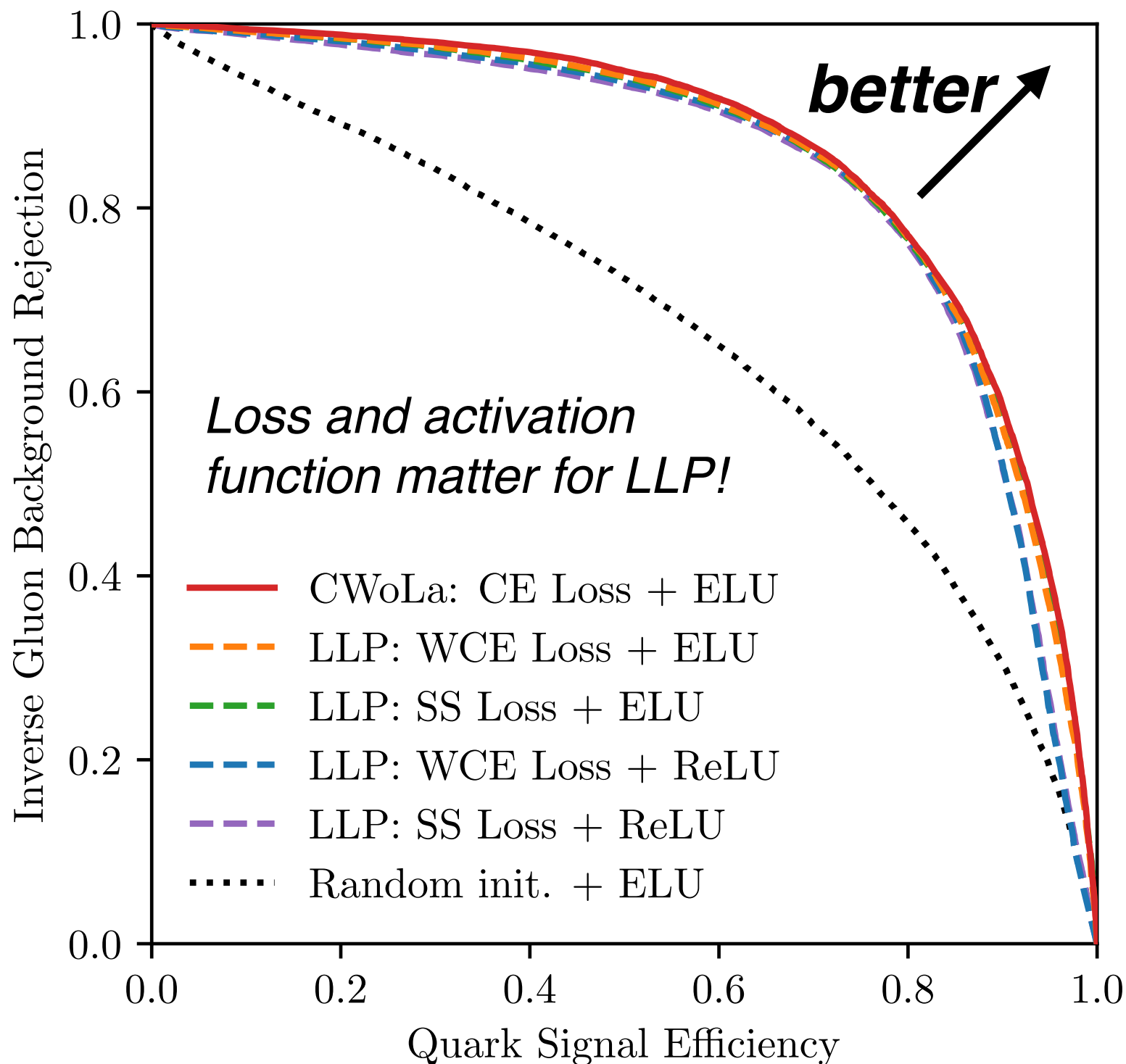
L. Dery, **BPN**, F. Rubbo, A. Schwartzman, [JHEP 05 \(2017\) 145](#)

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# Application to jet image classification

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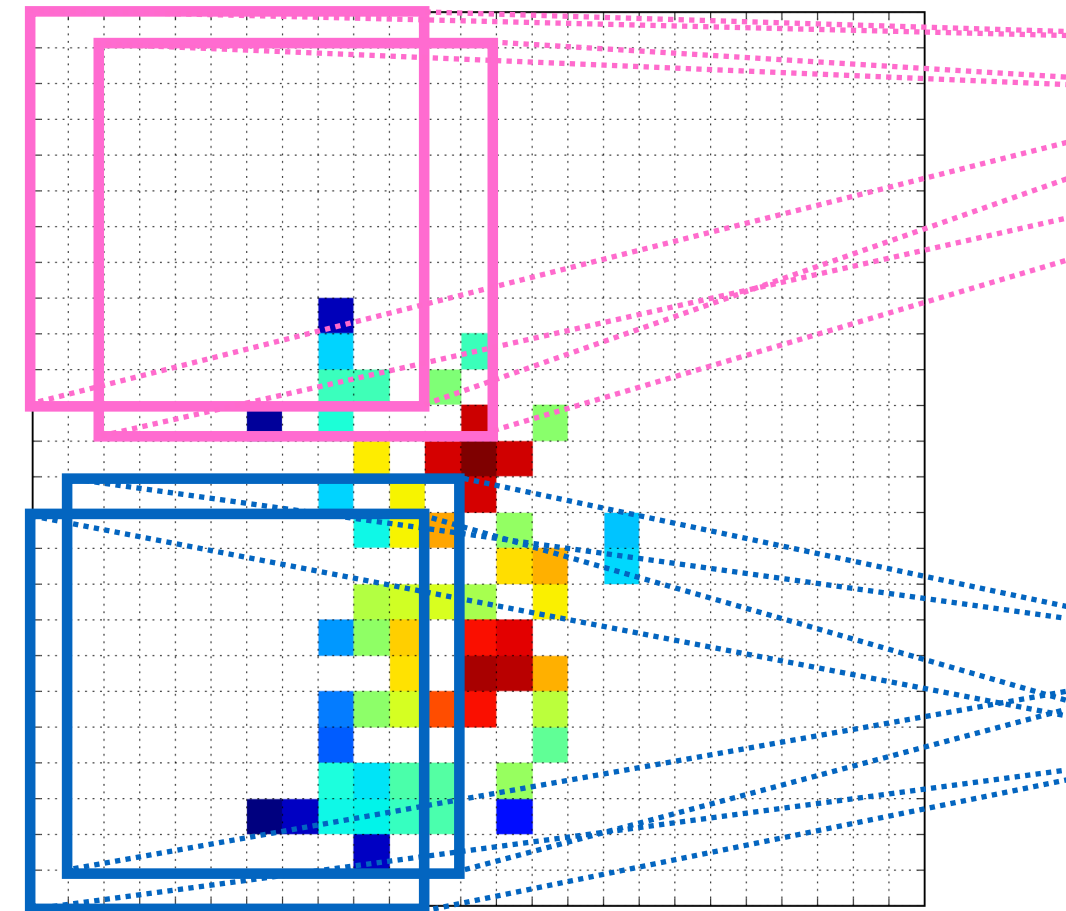
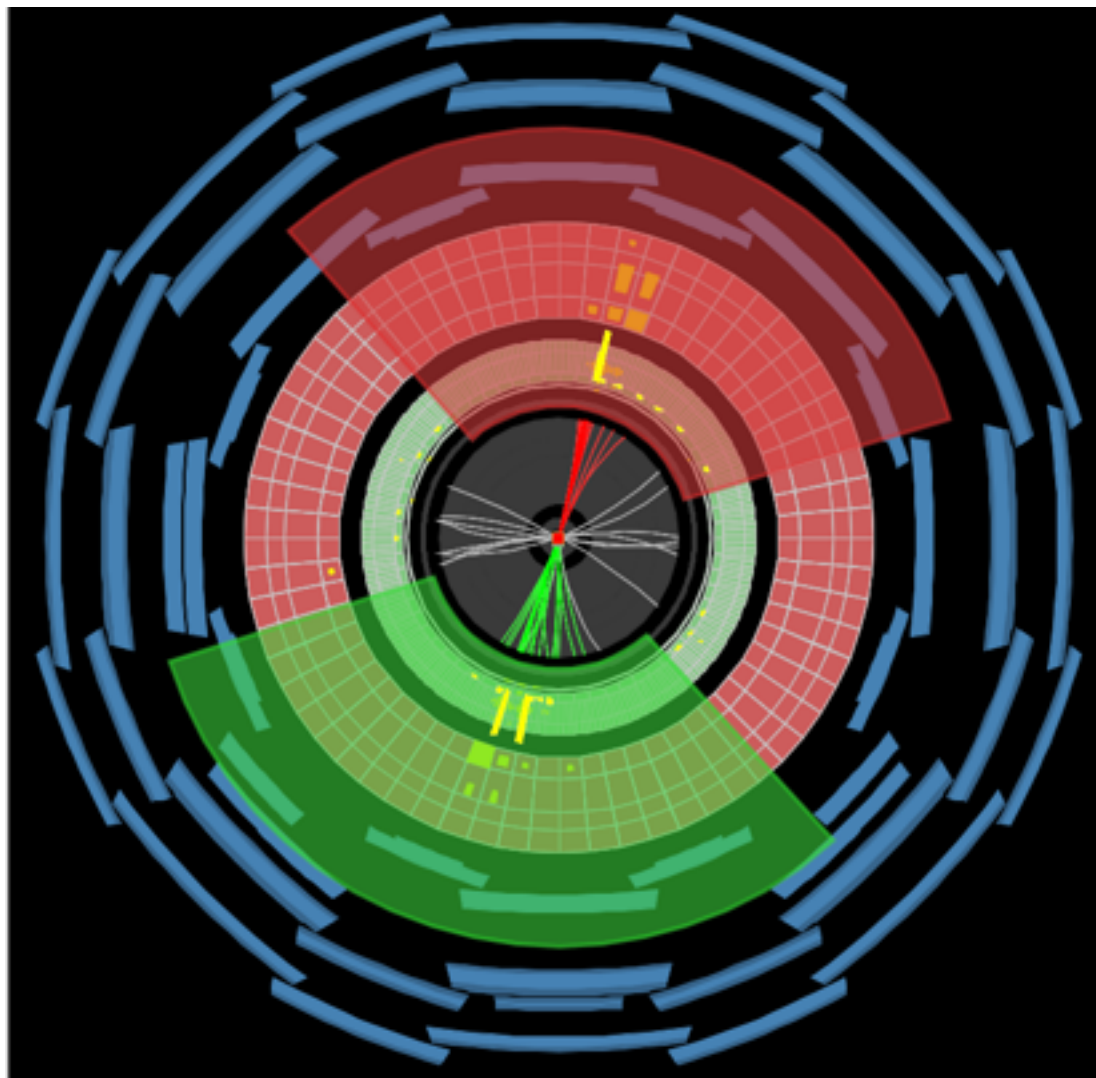
Both methods work well; a promising new direction with many potential applications!

...already ideas for applying this in the context of anomaly detection in this paper.

# Conclusions and Outlook

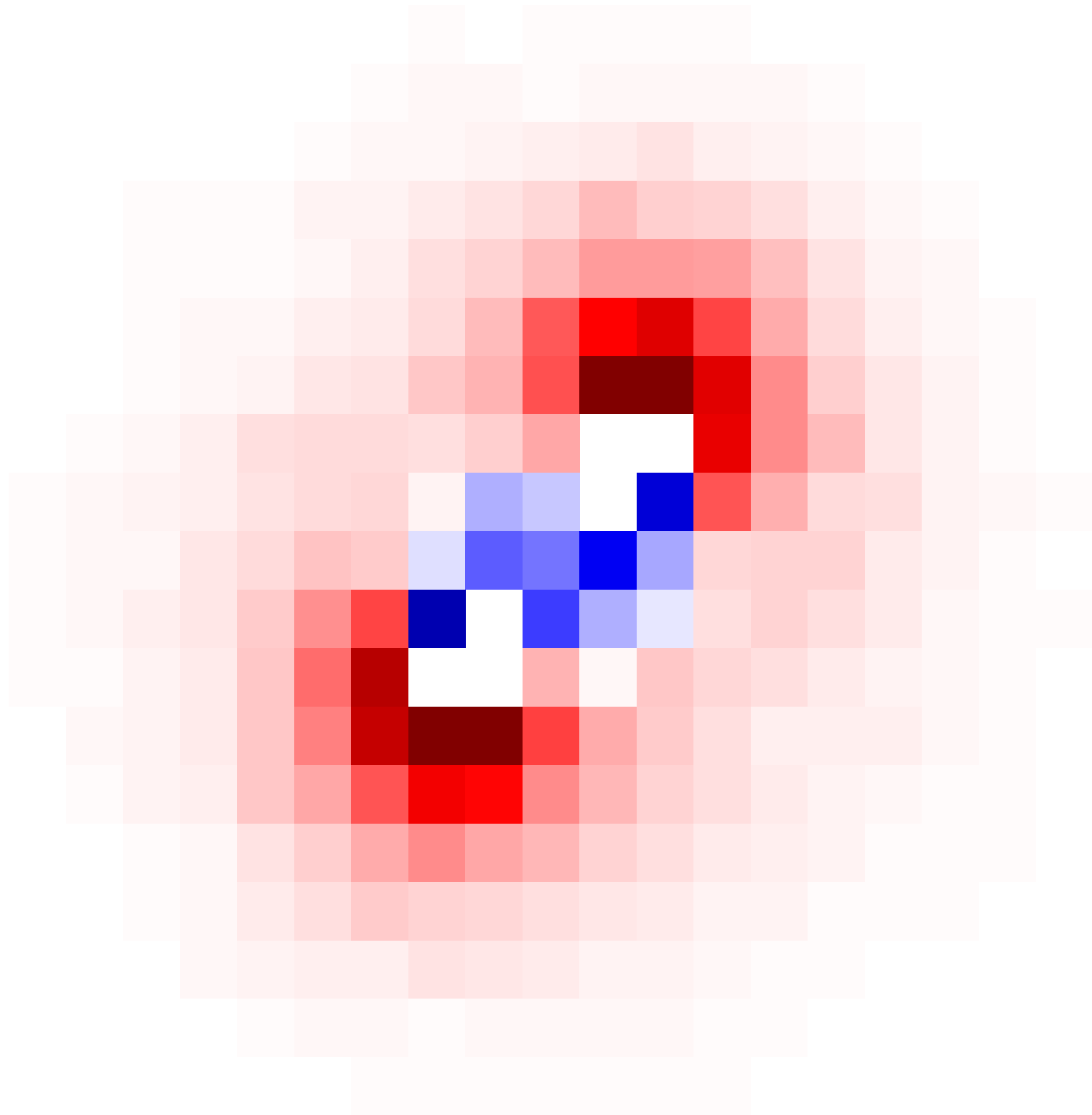
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(Jet) image-based NN classification, regression, and generation are powerful tools for fully exploiting the physics program at the LHC



**This is only a taste - ML4HEP  
is a very active field...**

...that may hopefully help us  
understand something new and  
fundamental about nature!



Fin.